

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Alan NIERENBERG

Art Unit: 3753

Application No.: 10/083,920

Examiner: Ljiljana V. Ciric

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For: APPARATUS FOR THE REGASIFICATION OF LNG ONBOARD A CARRIER

RESPONSE TO NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

April 10, 2006

Sir:

Applicant acknowledges receipt of the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated March 29, 2006.

The Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment indicated that the reply which was filed on January 11, 2006 was not considered fully responsive due to the fact that this response did not include a complete record of the personal interview conducted on January 4, 2006. Applicants submit that the remarks section of this paper constitutes a complete and accurate record of the substance of the personal interview.

Remarks are submitted beginning on page 2.